

- 1 A player makes a wager to play multiple hands of a stud
- 2 poker game. A plurality of initial partial hands are
- 3 displayed to the player. Each initial partial hand has the
- 4 same cards with the cards displayed face up to the player.
- 5 Each hand is then completed as a stud poker final hand. The
- 6 player wins or loses depending on the poker hand ranking of
- 7 each final hand. If the player achieves two or more final
- 8 hands of the same poker hand ranking, the amount won by the
- 9 player is increased, preferably as multiples of the original
- 10 payout amounts.